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MAN CHARGED WITH MURDER OF MALCOLM X

DALLAS TOWNSEND: "Good morning. This is Dallas Townsend in New York with the CBS World News Roundup.

"This country's tumultuous racial picture was marked today with a major development in the investigation of the Malcolm X murder.

"One man, Talmage Hayer was arrested immediately after the assassination last Sunday, and charged with homicide, but whether Hayer belonged to the rival Black Muslims has not been definitely established. Early this morning, there was another arrest. Also on a homicide charge and in this case, the affiliation is formally announced. CBS News reporter Tom Glennon has the story."

GLENNON: "They charged with homicide today, a Black Muslim, a man described by police as an enforcer, one who carries out violence on orders from higher up. Butler was out on \$10,000 bail in connection with the shooting of a city Corrections officer who had broken away from the Black Muslims. The arrest was timely, but police are under tremendous pressure, not only to find the killers of Malcolm X, but to halt the threat of further violence in tense Harlem. Hours earlier, Jessie Gray, leader of several rent strikes in the city held a rally at 125th Street and 7th Avenue. He told the small crowd:--"

GRAY: "The same white races they've got to direct the C.I.A. and attempt to infiltrate all the peoples in the world are trying to kill off every black leader in the world -- every black leader."

GLENNON: "It's a moot point whether the arrest of Butler will keep a lid on things. Gray and others have put pressure --"  
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